GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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SPECIAL PACKAGE FOR BANGALORE
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government proposes to extend a special package for the infrastructural/develop-ment of Bangalore on the lines of special package to Mumbai;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time frame set up for extending this package;

(c) whether the Union Government has agreed to provide additional funds for infrastructure development at Bangalore city as part of the initiatives to be undertaken by the Centre;

(d) if so, whether the Prime Minister during his visit in February, 2005 to Bangalore has agreed to provide more funds;

(e) if so, the total amount so far provided to the Karnataka State; and

(f) the time by which the State Government is likely to start its work on improving the Bangalore city?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) to (f) There is a proposal to establish Mission Mode National Urban Renewal Mission for providing reform linked central assistance for select cities including Bangalore and Mumbai. Details of the Mission have not been finalised.